

REPORT OF OPERATIONS BY CANNERIES, SALTERIES, FISHERMEN, ETC.

Department of Commerce and Labor/

BUREAU OF FISHERIES

ALASKA FISHERIES SERVICE

Washington

1913

(Only Company operating this year.)

The packer or fisherman receiving this blank is requested to supply the facts called for and return it at the close of the fishing season, but not later than December 15, to the Bureau of Fisheries, Department of Commerce and Labor, in the franked envelope transmitted herewith, swearing to the accuracy and completeness of the information given. Wm. C. Redfield, ~~CHARLES NAGEL~~,

Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

SEASON OF 1913

Name of company or individual UNITED STATES WHALING COMPANY
 Location of plant or fishery Port Armstrong, Baranoff Island,
 Location of general or home office Seattle, Wash.
 Cash capital \$400,000.00 ✓
 Valuation of plant \$250,000.00 ✓
 Number of resident proprietors or superintendents One; number of clerks and other salaried employees One
 Wages paid: Salaried employees, \$ 4,144.00; cannery and saltery employees, \$ _____; shore and beach men, \$ 35,911.00 fishermen, \$ 20,490.00 transporters, \$ _____

OTHER PERSONS EMPLOYED.

NATIONALITY.	NUMBER OF FISHERMEN.	NUMBER OF CANNERY AND SALTERY EMPLOYEES.	NUMBER OF SHOREMEN	NUMBER OF TRANSPORTERS.*	TOTAL EXCLUSIVE OF DUPLICATION.
Whites, <i>on boats</i>	33		40		
Natives,					
Chinese,					
Japanese,			26		
TOTAL,	33		66		99

VESSELS, BOATS, AND APPARATUS USED.

VESSELS AND BOATS.	NUM-BER.	NET TON- NAGE.	VALUE.	APPARATUS.	NUM-BER.	TOTAL LENGTH.	VALUE.
Steamers and launches (over 5 tons),	✓ 3	✓ 327	✓ \$180,000.00	Seines, drag,		Fathoms.	
Steamers and launches (under 5 tons),	✓ 1		✓ \$435.00	Seines, purse,			
Sailing vessels,				Gill nets,			
Boats, sail,	✓			Traps, floating,			
Boats, row,	✓ 5		✓ \$150.00	Traps, stationary,			
Lighters and scows,	✓ 2		✓ \$300.00	Dip nets,			
Pile drivers,	✓ 1		✓ \$350.00	Lines, hand,			
				Lines, trawl,			
				Crab pots,			

* If crew on sailing vessel act as fishermen, do not show them in this column also.

PRODUCTS HANDLED.

SPECIES.	CANNED.*				FRESH.		FROZEN.		MILD-CURED.			PICKLED.†			DRY-SALTED.					
	CASES OF 1/2-LB. CANS.		CASES OF 1-LB. CANS.		POUNDS.	VALUE.	POUNDS.	VALUE.	NO. OF TIERCES.	POUNDS.	VALUE.	NO. OF BARRELS.	POUNDS.	VALUE.	POUNDS.	VALUE.				
	NUMBER.	VALUE.	NUMBER.	VALUE.																
Black cod,																				
Cod,																				
Eulachon,																				
Halibut,																				
Herring, for food,																				
Herring, for bait,																				
Salmon:																				
Coho, or silver,																				
Dog, or chum,																				
Humpback, or pink,																				
King, or spring,																				
Red, or sockeye,																				
Salmon bellies:																				
Coho, or silver,																				
Dog, or chum,																				
Humpback, or pink,																				
King, or spring,																				
Red, or sockeye,																				
Smelt,																				
Trout:																				
Dolly Varden, or salmon trout,																				
Rainbow,																				
Steelhead,																				
Clams,																				
Crabs,																				
Fertilizer:																				
Herring,																				
Salmon,																				
Whale,	Meat 350 tons, \$12,250.00; Meat & Bone 130 tons, \$2,600.00;																			
Oil:	Bone Meal, 185 tons \$2,750.00; Total 665 tons, \$17,600.00.																			
Herring,																				
Salmon,																				
Shark,																				
Whale,	9330 barrels, value \$139,950.00 (50 gals. per bl.) 466,500 gals.																			
Whalebone,																				
No. of Whales: Sperm 73; Sulphur Bottom 58; Finback 29;																				
Humpback 21; Grey 1; Bottlenose 1; Sei 3;																				
Total 186.																				

* Show separately the different shapes of cans; the actual number of cases of 1/2-lb. cans should be given.
† Reduce half barrels to equivalent number of barrels.

I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, depose and say that the foregoing information is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Einar Abrahamsen
Manager.

State of Washington, County of King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of November, 1913

Seal

L. M. Lupp
Notary Public.

